

Wisconsin Education Association Council

Total Lobbying Effort

Total Lobbying Expenditures

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
\$314,899.36	\$250,020.52	\$311,032.50	\$253,186.61	\$1,129,138.98

Total Hours Communicating

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
925.30	600.75	649.25	296.25	2471.55

Total Hours Other

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
2104.75	1634.00	1969.50	2046.00	7754.25

Hours Lobbied on Each Matter

Lobbying Effort On Legislative Bills And Resolutions

Assembly Bill 1

relating to: prohibiting partial vetoes from creating new sentences (second consideration).

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.00 (1%)				30.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 5

relating to: prohibiting partial vetoes from creating new sentences (second consideration).

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
61.00 (2%)				61.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 26

relating to: liability for disobeying school crossing guards and providing a penalty.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.00 (1%)	22.00 (1%)			52.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 30

relating to: permitting an educational agency to refuse to employ or to terminate from employment an unpardoned felon.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.00 (1%)				30.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 17

relating to: requiring a photographic identification to vote, or register to vote, at the polls on election day (second consideration).

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total

30.00 (1%)				30.00 (< 1%)
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Assembly Bill 110

relating to: collective bargaining over health care coverage for municipal employees, allowing municipal employers to change health care coverage plan providers, and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
61.00 (2%)				61.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 112

relating to: exempting school districts from the motor vehicle fuel tax.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.00 (1%)				30.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 57

relating to: prohibiting the Investment Board from making certain investments relating to Sudan.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.00 (1%)	22.00 (1%)			52.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 23

relating to: limiting the annual percentage increase in property tax assessments and prohibiting property tax rate increases without voter approval (first consideration).

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.00 (1%)				30.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 136

relating to: allowing schools and local governmental units to claim refunds of the motor vehicle fuel tax and alternate fuels tax and making an appropriation.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.00 (1%)				30.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 42

relating to: school policies on bullying.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	45.00 (2%)	52.00 (2%)		97.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 165

relating to: transportation of four-year-old kindergarten pupils attending private schools.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.00 (1%)				30.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 122

relating to: the property tax exemption for waste treatment facilities.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.00 (1%)	22.00 (1%)			52.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 282

relating to: threatening a school official.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.00 (1%)				30.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 286

relating to: applications to attend a virtual charter school under the open enrollment program.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.00 (1%)				30.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 132

relating to: the use of ethnic names, nicknames, logos, and mascots by school boards, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)			22.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 327

relating to: school district youth options programs and making an appropriation.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)			22.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 354

relating to: classifying members of the Parole Commission and state employees who are employed at a state correctional institution, juvenile correctional facility, the mental health institutes at Mendota and Winnebago, the Wisconsin Resource Center, and any secure mental health unit or facility for sexually violent persons as protective occupation participants under the Wisconsin Retirement System.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)			22.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 130

relating to: a state minimum wage and granting rule-making authority.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)	52.00 (2%)		74.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 27

relating to: calling for changes to the state's public school funding formula to be enacted by July 1, 2009.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)			22.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 108

relating to: requiring instruction in public schools on the history of organized labor in America and the collective bargaining process.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)			22.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 121

relating to: arbitration and fair-share agreements during collective bargaining negotiations under the Municipal Employment Relations Act.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)			22.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 158

relating to: the deadline and procedure for voter registration and the determination of residency for voting purposes.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		26.00 (1%)		26.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 274

relating to: a state minimum wage and granting rule-making authority.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		26.00 (1%)		26.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 171

relating to: public financing of campaigns for the office of justice of the supreme court, making appropriations, and providing penalties.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		52.00 (2%)		52.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 506

relating to: state finances and appropriations for state school aids for the 2007-09 fiscal biennium, school district revenue limits, school safety grants, the pupil transportation reimbursement rate, the school breakfast reimbursement rate, county and municipal aid, the school levy property tax credit, and making appropriations.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)			22.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 507

relating to: modifying and extending local levy limits for cities, villages, towns, and counties and creating a levy limit for technical college districts.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)			22.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 299

relating to: distribution of a portion of the school levy tax credit.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)			22.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 375

relating to: the number of school days required each school term.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)			22.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 195

relating to: school conference and activities leave.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	45.00 (2%)			45.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 404

relating to: payment of the costs of advanced placement examinations taken by certain pupils.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)			22.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 439

relating to: technical college adult basic education programs, eligibility for Wisconsin higher education grants, and granting rule-making authority.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)			22.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 243

relating to: preparation time as a mandatory subject of collective bargaining.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	67.00 (3%)			67.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 469

relating to: accessible instructional materials for students with disabilities enrolled in the University of Wisconsin System or the technical college system.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)			22.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 482

relating to: prohibiting the Milwaukee Public Schools from imposing residency requirements on teachers.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	45.00 (2%)	52.00 (2%)		97.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 484

relating to: removal of a pupil from class, from any portion of school property, or from a school-sponsored activity.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	67.00 (3%)			67.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 249

relating to: payment of the costs of advanced placement examinations taken by certain pupils.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)			22.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 494

relating to: the membership of a technical college district board that governs a technical college district encompassing a 1st class city.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.00 (1%)	26.00 (1%)		48.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 251

relating to: removal of a pupil from class, from any portion of school property, or from a school-sponsored activity.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		79.00 (3%)		79.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 585

relating to: the commencement of fall classes in public schools.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		26.00 (1%)		26.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 349

relating to: records of pupils attending a private school participating in the Milwaukee Parental Choice Program.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		52.00 (2%)		52.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 620

relating to: requiring the Department of Transportation, upon request, to provide transportation planning and assistance in reviewing the site plan of proposed school construction or enlargement.

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2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		26.00 (1%)		26.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 351

relating to: investments and operations of the State of Wisconsin Investment Board.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		26.00 (1%)		26.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 623

relating to: investments and operations of the State of Wisconsin Investment Board.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		26.00 (1%)		26.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 637

relating to: allowing certain private schools located outside the city of Milwaukee to participate in the Milwaukee Parental Choice Program.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		79.00 (3%)		79.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 647

relating to: adopting federal law as it relates to an income tax deduction for certain educators and creating an individual income tax deduction for educators who use their own funds to purchase classroom educational supplies.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		79.00 (3%)		79.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 670

relating to: the terms of teacher employment contracts.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		79.00 (3%)		79.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 678

relating to: collection of fines and forfeitures by counties.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		26.00 (1%)		26.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 697

relating to: virtual charter schools.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		314.00 (12%)		314.00 (3%)

Senate Bill 395

relating to: adopting federal law as it relates to an income tax deduction for certain educators and creating an individual income tax deduction for educators who use their own funds to purchase classroom educational supplies.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		79.00 (3%)		79.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 396

relating to: online courses for elementary and secondary school pupils and granting rule-making authority.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total

314.00 (12%)

314.00 (3%)

Senate Bill 486

relating to: requiring the licensure of instructional staff in schools participating in the Milwaukee Parental Choice Program.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		26.00 (1%)		26.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 493

relating to: providing information about suicide prevention to public and private school professional staff.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		26.00 (1%)		26.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 495

relating to: providing services to homeless public school pupils and making an appropriation.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		26.00 (1%)		26.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 870

relating to: virtual charter schools.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		157.00 (6%)		157.00 (2%)

Assembly Bill 878

relating to: providing information about suicide prevention to public and private school professional staff.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		26.00 (1%)		26.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 535

relating to: indoor environmental quality in schools.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		79.00 (3%)		79.00 (< 1%)

Assembly Bill 906

relating to: state special education aid for the salaries of certain pupil services personnel and granting rule-making authority.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		26.00 (1%)		26.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 557

relating to: state special education aid for the salaries of certain pupil services personnel and granting rule-authority.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		26.00 (1%)		26.00 (< 1%)

Senate Bill 562

relating to: the establishment of the Healthy Wisconsin Plan and the Healthy Wisconsin Authority, granting rule-making authority, and making an appropriation.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		26.00 (1%)		26.00 (< 1%)

March 2008 Special Session Assembly Bill 1

state finances and appropriations. (FE)

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		576.00 (22%)		576.00 (6%)

Lobbying Effort On Budget Bill Subjects

Budget Management and Compensation Reserves

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.00 (1%)	22.00 (1%)			52.00 (< 1%)

Corrections: Departmentwide

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.00 (1%)	22.00 (1%)			52.00 (< 1%)

Employee Trust Funds

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.00 (1%)	22.00 (1%)			52.00 (< 1%)

Employment Relations Commission

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
91.00 (3%)	67.00 (3%)			158.00 (2%)

General Fund Taxes

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
61.00 (2%)	45.00 (2%)			106.00 (1%)

Health and Family Services: Medical Assistance

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
61.00 (2%)	89.00 (4%)			150.00 (1%)

Higher Educational Aids Board

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
61.00 (2%)	45.00 (2%)			106.00 (1%)

Public Instruction: General School Aids

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
152.00 (5%)	112.00 (5%)			264.00 (3%)

Public Instruction: Revenue Limits

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
152.00 (5%)	112.00 (5%)			264.00 (3%)

Public Instruction: Categorical Aids

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
152.00 (5%)	112.00 (5%)			264.00 (3%)

Public Instruction: Choice, Charter and Open Enrollment

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
152.00 (5%)	112.00 (5%)			264.00 (3%)

Public Instruction: Assessments and Licensing

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
152.00 (5%)	112.00 (5%)			264.00 (3%)

Public Instruction: School District Operations

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
152.00 (5%)	112.00 (5%)			264.00 (3%)

Public Instruction: Administrative and Other Funding

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
152.00 (5%)	112.00 (5%)			264.00 (3%)

Shared Revenue and Property Tax Relief: Property Tax Credits

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
91.00 (3%)	67.00 (3%)			158.00 (2%)

Transportation: Transportation Finance

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
61.00 (2%)	45.00 (2%)			106.00 (1%)

Wisconsin Technical College System

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
152.00 (5%)	112.00 (5%)			264.00 (3%)

Lobbying Effort On Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number

State funding of local school district operational costs, school aid funding formula, revenue limits and other school district operations.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
			468.45 (20%)	468.45 (5%)

Family and parental leave for school conferences and activities

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.30 (1%)				30.30 (< 1%)

Development of indoor environmental quality standards for classrooms and the

establishment of an indoor environmental quality in schools act.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
60.60 (2%)	44.70 (2%)		234.23 (10%)	339.53 (3%)

Reauthorization of the federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act(ESEA) and the Individuals With Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) and their impact on stat public instruction policies and procedures.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.35 (1%)			22.35 (< 1%)

Expanding the role of education support professionals in school safety and discipline laws

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
60.60 (2%)				60.60 (< 1%)

WI retirement system treatment of education support professional creditable service toward retirement elligibility

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
60.60 (2%)			234.23 (10%)	294.83 (3%)

Legislative Council Study Committee reviewing the state school aid formula

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
60.60 (2%)				60.60 (< 1%)

Legislative Council Study Committee on Charter Schools studying current state laws relating to charter schools and the funding of charter schools

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
60.60 (2%)				60.60 (< 1%)

raising the cigarette tax

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
60.60 (2%)				60.60 (< 1%)

Creating a pay equity system for part time employees in the Wisconsin Technical College System.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.35 (1%)			22.35 (< 1%)

Establishment of new subjects in bargaining relating to education employee preparation time and time reporting duties required of an individualized education program team.

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
			234.23 (10%)	234.23 (2%)

early childhood education

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
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60.60 (2%)			60.60 (< 1%)
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state income tax deduction for non-reimbursed classroom purchases by teachers

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
60.60 (2%)				60.60 (< 1%)

teacher preparation time as a mandatory subject of collective bargaining

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
60.60 (2%)				60.60 (< 1%)

Milwaukee Parental Choice Program funding split

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
60.60 (2%)				60.60 (< 1%)

loan forgiveness program for those who teach math or science in our public schools

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.30 (1%)				30.30 (< 1%)

energy efficiency bonds for schools

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.30 (1%)				30.30 (< 1%)

SAGE audit

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
30.30 (1%)				30.30 (< 1%)

kindergarten attendance

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	44.70 (2%)		234.23 (10%)	278.93 (3%)

investments and operations of the State of Wisconsin Investment Board

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	22.35 (1%)			22.35 (< 1%)

online courses for elementary and secondary school pupils

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
	44.70 (2%)			44.70 (< 1%)

development of the 2009-11 state budget

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
			351.34 (15%)	351.34 (3%)

Recommendations of Legislative Council Special Committee on School Safety

2007	2007	2008	2008	Total
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January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	Total
			351.34 (15%)	351.34 (3%)

Minor Efforts

(Time spent on matters each of which accounted for less than 10% of the organization's lobbying)

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
		52 (2%)	117 (5%)	169.49 (1.66%)

Other Matters

Includes time spent on:

- Gubernatorial nominations
- Matters on which the organization made no lobbying communication

2007 January - June	2007 July - December	2008 January - June	2008 July - December	Total
90.90 (3%)	22.35 (1%)	78.56 hours (3%)	117.11 (5%)	308.92 (3.02%)